STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 20, 2015

RE: S.C.R. No. 90

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2015 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 90 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONTINUE AND EXPAND ITS STRUCTURED COMMUNITY PLACEMENT PROGRAMS TO ASSIST IN TRANSITIONING FORMERLY INCARCERATED FEMALE INMATES BACK INTO SOCIETY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to encourage the Department of Public Safety to continue and expand its structured community placement programs to assist in transitioning formerly incarcerated female inmates back into society.

The Department of Public Safety, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, Hawaii State Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Community Alliance on Prisons, and several concerned individuals supported this measure. The League of Women Voters offered comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 90 and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Public Safety,

GREGE JAKAYAMA, Cha

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Public Safety

Bill/Resolution No.: SCR 90	Committee Referral:	Date:	4/14/15	
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
PBS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKAYAMA, Gregg (C)				
2. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (VC)		:		
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.				
4. HAR, Sharon E.				
THIN, SAUTON 2.				
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda				
6. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling			·	:
7. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett				
8. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.				
9. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A	A			
10. TAKUMI, Roy M.				
11. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.			***************************************	
TOTAL (11)	7		~	4
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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